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Re: *In re PG&E Corp., et al.*, Case No. 19-30088 (Bankr. N.D. Cal.);  
Inquiry Regarding TURN's Request for Formation of Ratepayers' Committee

Dear Mr. Harris:

Thank you for your voicemail message on March 20, 2019 inquiring about the United States Trustee's response to TURN's request to form a ratepayers' committee in the above-referenced case. As you know, the United States Trustee provided the attached response to TURN's request on February 20, 2019, indicating that appointment of such a committee would be outside of the United States Trustee's authority and would not be appropriate. The United States Trustee's position remains the same and, accordingly, no action will be taken at this time.

If you have additional information or documentation regarding TURN's request, please feel free to forward that to my attention. Thank you again for reaching out, and please let me know if you would like to discuss this matter further.

Respectfully,

Andrew R. Vara  
Acting United States Trustee, Region 3

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